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TO ALL DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR POSTS

XMT AMCONSUL ISTANBUL

AMEMBASSY ANKARA

AMCONSUL ADANA

AMCONSUL IZMIR

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INFORM CONSULS

FOLLOWING REPEAT ISTANBUL 850 ACTION SECSTATE INFO ANKARA  
ADANA IZMIR MAR 09, 1977

QTE UNCLAS ISTANBUL 850

E.O. 16652: N/A

TAGS: OTRA, OVIP, TU

SUBJECT: SHORTAGE OF HOTEL ROOMS IN ISTANBUL

1. REQUEST DEPARTMENT INFORM ALL FOREIGN SERVICE POSTS,  
INTERESTED U.S. AGENCIES AND THE LEGISLATIVE BRANCH THAT  
THERE WILL BE A CRITICAL SHORTAGE OF HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS  
IN ISTANBUL DURING THE FOLLOWING PERIODS:

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APRIL 5 - APRIL 15: EXPECTED HEAVY INFLUX OF TOURISTS  
DURING EASTER HOLIDAYS (HOTELS FULLY BOOKED APRIL 9- 11)  
MAY 5 - MAY 15: AN ISLAMIC CONFERENCE WHICH WILL BE  
ATTENDED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF 47 ISLAMIC COUNTRIES  
SCHEDULED FOR MAY 10-16 (HOTELS FULLY BOOKED MAY 11-13).

2. TRAVEL TO ISTANBUL SHOULD NOT BE PLANNED WITHOUT  
CONFIRMED RESERVATIONS DURING ABOVE PERIODS.  
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